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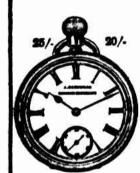




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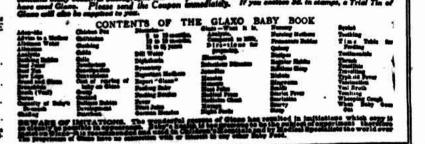
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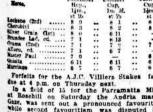
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There was war between the Jones-Pepsin Jum Company of Jenesville, Connecticut, and Gum Company of Jonesville, Connecticut, and the Conservative Chewing Gum Trust of America. Eventually the Empire Advertising Company of New York batted in on the saids of Jones, the Trust was ruined, the little town of Jonesville was saved, and Romanue, making its veice heard to some purpose, the dramatic persone paired off handle

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"The asserting reach to your lower, then."
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"Upjust!"
"True, I have its revenge," and Bergolet. "Will be unjust to a fool, mistreas."
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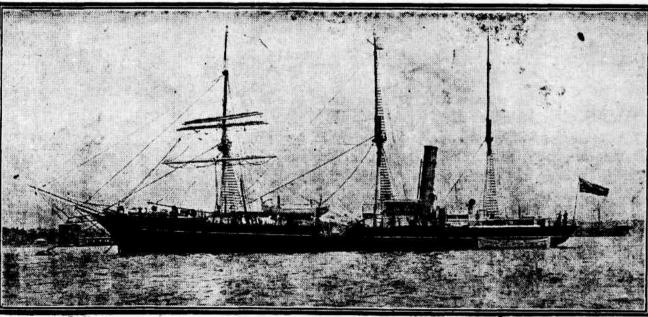
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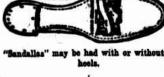
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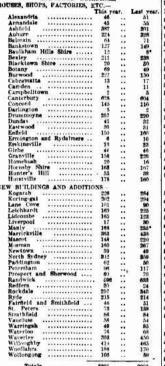
visit of King George to France, and by his meeting with the President of the Republic and with King Albert. But the return to Paris means something more than the failure of Kluck's army. It is a proof that in the opinion of the French Government the German attack, whether on the north or on the south, is at an end. It may be that the German Generals are convinced that the allied line is impregnable, or that they are compelled to detach large numbers of soldiers to the eastern frontier. In either case it seems probable that for some months at least they will be on the defensive in the west. On the east they clearly need reinforcements of highlytrained troops for their attack on the Russians. So long as the fighting takes place along the frontier the mobility of the Germans will enable them to use a comparatively small army. But if attempts are to be made to capture the railway behind Warsaw, or even to capture Warsaw itself, large forces will be needed to prevent the railway penalised.

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THE NAVAL VICTORY

DRESDEN STRANDED.

ACTION BY ITALY squadron, which had its base at Tsing-tac the result was largely due to the powerful and untiring assistance of the Japanes

DIRECTED AT TURKEY.

ALLIES' PROGRESS.

The British maval victory over the German squaditon off the Falkland Islands is now complete, the cruiser Dresden being stranded on the Argentine coast.

The British losses were remarkably small-only seven men killed and four wounded. No officers were

Over 80 Germs n ships have been interned along the coast of Brazil, ewing to the activity of the British

It is reported that in October the gruiser Glasgow birdly damaged the steering gear of the Karlsruhe, and

killed a number of the German crew. Heavy firing has been reported off the Chilian island ca' Mocha, and it is believed the armed merchantman Print Eitel Friedrick is being en-

The Allies continue to advance on the western battle front, and in the east the Russians claim that the German offensive has failed everywhere.

On the other hand, the Germans dain that their losses are not as heavy as those of the Eussians, and it is announced in Vienna that the Austrians are victorious in the Car-

Italy has sent a warming to Hodiedeh, in Arabia, owing to the Turks having forced an entrance into the Italian Consulate, and seized the British Consul, who had taken refuge

Heavy purchases of horacs and wheat are being made by Italy in the

WAR BULLETIN.

MELBOURNE Sunday. The following cablegram has been re-ceived from the Secretary of State for the Colonies, dated London, December 12;—
The British casualties in the action of

ent attack was repulsed in the reside

The Russians report that the German assume has been repulsed near Mlaws, and also repulsed, with enormous losses, in the region of Lowicz. Several German guns and over 2000 prisoners were taken

guns, 50 machine guns, and enormous quar tites of war stores.

THE NAVAL BATTLE.

COMPLETE VICTORY.

THE DRESDEN STRANDED.

LONDON, Dec. 11.
It is officially stated that the total in the naval act the Falkland Islands on Tuesday last, when the four German cruisers, Scharnhorst, ALLIES' CONTINUED PROGRESS. Gneisenau, Leipsig, and Nurnberg, were sunk were:—

Killed 7 Wounded 4 Not one officer was killed or wounded. WASHINGTON, Dec. 11. It is reported that the cruiser Dresden

hich escaped from the British shins off he Falklands, has seen interned in a por in Argentina.
BUENOS AYRES, Dec. 13.

The Dresden is stranded on the Argen tine Coast, near Port Gallegos, in Pata-It is reported that the Scharnhorst-kept

up firing until her guns were submerged. NURNBERG'S FATE.

FOUGHT TO THE LAST.

NEW YORK, Dec. 12. The British squadron caught the Nuraorg after an exciting chase. She was ummoned to surrender, but refused, and

after their crews had been removed. This beans that the cruiser Karlsruhe and the armed merchantmen Prinz Eitel Friedrich and the Fritz are deprived of the means of reprovisioning and recoaling.

GERMAN ADMIRAL'S SONS.

AMSTERDAM, Dec. 12. The "Vossiche Zeitung" states that two Admiral von Spee's sons were serving

GERMAN EXPLANATION.

LONDON, Dec. 12.
A semi-official message from Rerlin suggests that Admiral you Spec steamed southwards to seek the Canopus and time Glassow. Meanwhile a very strong British admiral was despatched to engage the German in South attacks were repulsed with heavy slaughter, after some fierce bayonet fight.

There was a flerce skirmish on the strong enough to escape the influence of the German Emperor and his entourage.

RIOTS IN ANTWERP.

GERMAN SOLDIERS FALL OUT slaughter, after some flerce bayonet fight.

LONDON, Dec. 12.

months on the high seas with no dock darkness and fired upon their own troops available for cleaning the bottoms of the in the belief that they were French in-

JAPAN'S PART. MR. CHURCHILL'S MESSAGE.

Replying to the Japanese Government's gagement it is said the cordial congratulations upon the naval victory, Mr. Churchill has cabled that, though the Politics of the control of the con though the British squadron struck the final blow which destroyed the German squadron, which had its base at Tsing-tao,

"Had the enemy turned westward."

Mr. Churchill adds, "the honours would german guns and sil teries west of Lille.

RUSSIA'S CONGRATULATIONS.

LONDON, Dec. 11. the Russian Army and Navy, has con-gratulated the British Admiralty on the brilliant victory off the Falklands.

THE COMMON CAUSE.

PRAISE FOR SERVIA.

LONDON, Dec Sir Edward Grey, in thanking the King naval victory near the Falkland Islands, pays a warm tribute to the brilliant vic-tories gained by the Servians. These, he e greatly to success in the

WARSHIPS ACTIVE.

The line then stealthily advanced and lay prone while a scout crept out and found were energetically offensive near Ulawa the Germans busy sapping 20 yards distant. The final charge, which was aided by searchlight, was a complete surprise.

NEW YORK, Dec. 11.

The steamer Scottish Prince, which has arrived here, reports that the Germans in the first trench were bayoneted where they were working. The Russians drove back some columns auxiliary cruiser Karlsrube has been active along the South American coast. It is also stated that over 80 German sings have been integrated.

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BY CRUISER GLASGOW.

The captured ship Valparaiso that the German cruiser Dreaden has take efuge in an inlet on the Patagonian coas

THE DOVER RAID.

STILL NO CONFIRMATION.

LONDON, Dec. 12 There is no confirmation yet of the sub-marine attack upon Dover. It is believed that the objects seen

very dark.

A similar attack, which was reported from the Firth of Forth, also requires con-

UNSUCCESSFUL SEARCH.

LONDON, Dec. 12. returned. Their search was unsu

WESTERN FRONT.

VIOLENT ATTACKS.

PARIS, Dec. 11. A communique states: We have made continued progress towards the enemy's lines in the Ypres region. Several German attacks were repulsed,

hough in one instance the enemy ha esched our trenches. We again pushed several trenches fo

ward in the Argonne and Le Pretre wood.

A very violent German attack in the Yrres region was repulsed, and we re ak some ground previously reached by

"A TERRIBLE FAILURE."

GERMAN EFFORTS ON THE YSER.

The German attempt to take the ferry-man's house on the Yser, an important position captured by the French after sev-erel weeks' hard fighting, was a terrible

FIERCE NIGHT ATTACK. AN UNSUCCESSFUL RUSE.

PARIS, Dec. 12

BRITISH VICTORY REPORTED

Rumours are current of a British victory in Flanders, and the recovery of a con-siderable stretch of country. In the en-

BRITISH HOWITZERS.

OUTRANGE GERMAN GUNS.

LONDON, Dec. 12.

have rested with the Japanese and the Australian squadrons. The peace of the Pacific is now restored, and the commerce of all nations safe.

"Allow me," he concludes, "on behalf of the British and Australian navies, to renew my expressions of earnest recognition of Japan's invaluable assistance."

Lettle west of Lille.

The Germans have withdrawn to positions south-east of La Bassee as the result of the capture of Vermelles. They are the capture of Vermelles. They are the capture of Vermelles, and the french are progressing towards but the French are progres

mans constantly leave men concealed in pits, hay stacks, and trees. The men work machine guns or anipe at the silled soldiers. They are willing to run any risk for the sake of killing a few of the nemy.

STORMING TRENCHES.

RE-CAPTURE OF A VILLAGE.

LONDON, Dec. 11. The "Daily Chronicle" states that the recapture of Passechendaele was the result of a vigorous night attack. The village was strongly held and fortfield with many prisoners and contanguements.

trenches and entanglements.

During the day the British artillery silenced the German guns, and it was decided to make the attempt to storm the Dunajec. German position.

Immediately night fell the infantry GERMANS SUFFER SEVERELY

crept to the entanglements and cat the wires, a high wind drowning the noise.

The line then stealthily advanced and

HEAVY ARTILLERY DUELS.

THE ALLIES SCORE.

artillery also slienced the neig outeries, and destroyed a howitzer.

In the Aisne region there have been artillery duels and infanty engagements near Pertnes Bols de la Grurle and north-east of Vailly. In all these we

Passengers by the steamer Van Dyck, which was captured on October 28, state that the cruiser Glasgow's six-inch guns badly damaged the Karisrube's steering Kear and killed a number of the crew.

COASTAL BOMBARDMENT.

COPENHAGEN, Dec. 12.

A message from Berlin states that British cruisers violently bombarded the Belgian coast on Thursday for the purpose of stopping the advance in the region of Nieuport.

PETROGRAD, Dec. 11.

A communique states that the Russian Belgian coast on Thursday for the purpose of stopping the advance in the region of Nieuport.

Stantinople. He said that Turkey was going to strike England in her most vulnerable point. The enterprise was most arrefully prepared, and when England's political pressure was removed economic coercion would cease, and Germany would COPENHAGEN, Dec. 12.

GERMAN CLAIMS.

AMSTERDAM, Dec. 12. An official message published in Berlin claims that the French attack eastward of

Langemarck was repulsed, 340 priso being taken and 200 soldiers killed. The message adds that the German means of dynamite, captured a strong point on the outskirts of the Argonn

GERMAN BRUTALITY.

A DUTCHMAN'S STORY.

AMSTERDAM, Dec. 12. AMSTERDAM, Lee. 12.

Van Horsen, a Dutchman serving as a volunteer with the Beigian army, and who escaped from the Wesel Camp, reports that his battalion was surrounded at the Yser his battalion was surrounded at the Yser who escaped by feigning death. their rifles. Nevertheless the Germans cou-tinued to shoot until only 18 were left, and these were all wounded.

GERMAN LOOT.

SEIZED IN HOLLAND.

AMSTERDAM, Dec. 12. The "Telegraaf" states that the authorities have seized, near Hansweierm, 15 to also stated that the garrison at trated a mature German plan to sow mines processed in the Straits of Gibralter by means of a paparently booty, which the Germans were trying to transport across the Scheldt.

The Germans declare that the goods were SIX TO ONE. private property.

THE EMPEROR'S PLAN.

DISASTROUS RESULTS.

Bavarian prisoners declared that they were ordered to recapture the house or not distreture.

The French withheld their fire until the last moment, when artillery, machine ground was strewn with human fragments. Barely fifty Bavarians survived, and they were taken prisoners.

Bavarian prisoners declared that they man Army, wished some time back to make a concentrated attack on Verdun, with an advance northwards, with a view to separating the British and French armies, whereas the German Fragments. Barely fifty Bavarians survived, and they were taken prisoners.

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HELP FROM RUSSIA.

General von Falkenbeyn, the German Emperor's favourite, profited by the alleged finess of General von Mottke to work out the Emperor's plan between Dixmude and force the Servians. Ypres, with disastrous results. General von Moltke, believing his policy to be cor-

The Dutch newspapers state that only General von Rindenburg's position is strong enough to escape the influence of

the German squadron was four The Germans were bewildered in the respondent states that violent riots have The Italian Government has sent

THE VICTORIA CROSS.

A GALLANT HIGHLANDER.

LONDON, Dec. 12. Lientenant Walter Brodie, of the High land Light Infantry, has been awarded the Victoria Cross for conspicuous gallantry at Beceiaer in ousting the enemy from

British howitzers recently outranged the German batGerman guns and silenced the German batteries west of Lille.

He Dayounce set an adaptrous situation, thereby relieving a dangerous situation, and as a result of his promptitude 80 Germans were killed and 51 taken prisoners.

IN THE EAST.

RUSSIA'S GREAT STRENGTH.

GERMAN OFFENSIVE FAILS.

PETROGRAD, Dec. 18. The German offensive has hitherto failed in every direction. Simultaneous attacks on the Russian centre, right, and left have been repulsed, with heavy German losses, the Russians thereby moving troops from the rear to the front. The Grand Duke Nicholas remains in

Considerable Austrian forces have been

PETROGRAD, Dec. 12.

fore firing. "MUCH REMAINS TO BE DONE."

EVACUATION OF LODZ.

PETROGRAD, Dec. 12.

RUSSIANE ROUT ENEMY.

sians have captured a number of machine guns and 2000 prisoners. An army messenger states that the Rus-sians routed Austrians and Germans south of Cracow, capturing f. batteries The enemy left 1000 dead.

RUSSIAN PRISONERS.

INHUMAN TREATMENT. PETROGRAD, Dec. 12.

A non-commissioned officer who escaped om the Germans in Lodz parrates that he and two officers and thirty men imprisoned and locked up in a stable for

three days.

Their captors removed their tunics, and left them without food. When they asked for water the Germans knocked them down with the butts of their rifes.

IN THE CARPATHIANS.

AUSTRIANS CLAIM SUCCESS. AMSTERDAM, Dec. 18.

It is officially announced at Vienna that the Austrians are continuously and vic-

toriously advancing in the Carpathians, and have captured 2000 Russians also stated that the garrison at

SIX TO ONE.

GREAT SERVIAN VICTORY. PARIS, Dec. 12. The "Matin" says that when the Austrians penetrated Doukomba, they outnum pered the Servians by six to one.

THE TURKS.

ROME, Dec. 12. GERMAN SOLDIERS FALL OUT.

Turkish soldiers endeavoured to arrest the British Consul at Hodelideh, in Arabia but he escaped to the Italian Consulated but he escaped to the Italian Consulated The Turks forced an entrance, and select the British Consul.

IN ITALIAN CONSULATE.

The warship Guillana has arrived Hodeldeh,

ITALY'S PREPARATIONS.

CHICAGO CONSUL'S STATEMENT.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.

Italy is purchasing horses and wheat supplies on a huge scale. Signor Giulio Bolognesi, Italian Consul at Chicago, explains that Italy intends to

BATOUM BOMBARDED.

AMSTERDAM, Dec. 12. It is reported from Berlin that Furkish feet has bombarded the no bourhood of Batoum, in the Black Several Russians were killed, and man

GERMAN TYRANNY. TURKISH SOLDIERS REVOLT.

A message from Athens states that the evolt of the Turkish officers and men at Constantinople, which has been brewin The Grand Duke Nicholas remains in for several weeks against the tyranny of great menacing strength equally along the front from Warsaw southward to Cracow.

German officers, has culminated in a serifour from Warsaw southward to Cracow. commences a new era in the relations be-tween East and West, and sets a seal for

> GERMAN GENERAL'S PLANS. WILL OCCUPY SULTAN'S

General von der Golts (until lately Geris staying a few days in Bulgaria, en route may be landed there. o Turkey, states that when in Cor

IN EGYPT.

HIGH COMMISSIONER GENERAL BOTHA'S TASK.

IMPORTANT APPOINTMENT. LONDON, Dec. 12. Colonel Sir Arthur Henry McMahon K.C.I.E., G.C.V.O., has been appointed paper adds, is a very painful one. High Commissioner in Egypt. It is probable that a com Judges will try the rebels,

HEAVY FIRING REPORTED.

BUENOS AYRES, Dec. 12.

Reavy firing has been reported off the Chillan island of Mocha. It is believed that a British vessel is engaging the armed merchantman Prinz Eitel Friedrich.

KARLSRUHE DAMAGED.

THE ALLIES SCORE.

"MUCH REMAINS TO BE DONE."

LONDON, Dec. 12.

The Berlin wireless bureau has issued to foreign secretary of the Government of the following measage: "Much remains to the John the Indian political service in 1890, and companied the Indian political service in 1890, and some and Sheranel expeditions as political more in Egypt.

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ENGLAND'S VULNERABLE POINT.

AN ALLEGED INTERVIEW.

CAIRO, Dec. 12. The Khedive is at Alexandretta, there are 300 German officers and 40,000 Turkish troops gathered. A representative of the "Vossiche Zel-A representative of the "Vossiche Zeitung" interviewed the Khedive at Con

coercion would cease, and Germany would take her proper place in Egyptian marketa.

The Khedive added that the German mission which was recently studying the rallways and matters relating to agrikets.
The Khedive added that the German culture in Sou Emperor was one of the greatest living One of them was captured and the statesmen, and he revered him on account fied.

ALIENS DEPORTED CAIRO, Dec. 12.

The Austrians and the Germans employed in the mixed tribunals in Egypthave been deported to the island of Cyprus.

MINE LAYING.

PLOT FRUSTRATED. LONDON, Dec. 12. The "Daily Chronicle's" Madrid pondent states that the Admiralty has frus-trated a mature German plan to sow mines

PARIS. Dec. 12

A message from Constantinople states that a Turkish gunboat struck a mine and sank near the entrance to the Dardanelles. MINES IN THE CHANNEL

LONDON, Dec. 12.

A passenger steamer sighted a floating mine in the English Channel. Some sol-diers, who were on board, exploded the mine with their rifles. NO CHRISTMAS TRUCE. VATICAN'S EFFORT FAILS.

The Vatican announces that the Pope' WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.
The House Rules Committee refused Reforts to secure a Christmas truce has failed, owing to the opposition of a certain LONDON, Dec. 12.

Russia has declined the Christmas true uggested by the Pope. GERMANY ASSENTED. LONDON, Dec. 12.

Pope's suggestion for a truce. MR. CARNEGIE ON A TRUCE. WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.

The Berlin wireless bureau states that bermany immediately assented to the

taken place between the Prussian and Bavarian Landwebr in the Antwerp barracks.

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ROME, Dec. 12.

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has been ordered.

THE BALTIC.

GERMAN CRUISER MINED.

PARIS, Dec. 12.
The Minister for Marine has been informed that the German cruiser Friedrich the enemy, have two million men ready for war when have two million men ready for war when title, and sank. Most of the crew were itude 80 Gerthe object of asserting Italy's position. wards the end of November.

FALL OF TSING-TAO.

FESTIVITIES IN TOKIO. ENGLISH COMMANDER WEL-

COMED.

TOKIO, Dec. 12. Thousands of people lined the street to-day to welcome Colonel Barnardiston the British commander at Tsing-Tao. The festivities arranged exceeded the Gardiner that an investigat

upon the Anglo-Japanese alliance. ARMS FOR IRELAND.

SEIZURE ORDERED.

General von der Goltz (until lately Gerion Military Governor in Belgium), who
staying a few days in Bulgards on which
staying a few days in Bulgards on the conclusion of paces, declares that Germany does not inspire the peace movement
in the United States.

SOUTH AFRICA. REBEL PRISONERS.

CAPETOWN, Dec. 12. The "Onsland" appeals to Englishmen and touth Africans to exercise forbearance in discussing the problem of dealing with the rebel leaders. General Botha's task, the

VOLUNTARY CORPS.

HUGE ORGANISATION. LONDON, Dec. 12. are now connected with the central ass ciation of the voluntary training corps. The corps was originally intended for the defence of London, but it grew so rapidly that it became the central body, with local corps in all parts of Great Bri-

Members wear an armiet only, and ar

GERMAN "MISSION." SPIES IN PORTUGAL

LISBON, Dec. 12.

INDIAN ARMY. REWARDS FOR GALLANTRY.

COPENHAGEN, Dec. 12.
The German Emperor's temperature is 101. He is suffering from nervous break down, and his condition continues serious. Clied to increase the allotment of 103,000 affairs in our own way. His doctors have persuaded him to take acres, which has been set aside for grants

THE DEFENCE QUESTION. "INJUDICIOUS" INQUIRIES.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.

Senator Works, of Ohio, Speaker in the United States Senate, deprecated the wide controversial publicity given to the matter of American defences during the last few weeks. He pointed out that European nations were shrouding every detail con-cerning their navies and armies behind a washing their navies and state of the portion given to the American Relief of the portion given to the portion given to the American Relief of the portion given to the portion given to the portion given given given given given given given git

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esentative Gardner permission to raise

the question of the investigation of the

GERMAN ALLEGATIONS. WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.

DUM-DUM BULLETS.

Mr. Bryan has ordered a legal inquiry TON, Dec. 11. uses of an inter- by the United States if an investigation

man Emperor was ill. His Majesty was ments alleging that certain American opposed to hostilities, but the military factories memed promptily denied that an lots of truth existed in the charges.

An official investigation into the matter

PAPER MILITIA.

They are 16,000 below successful tittle use for military purposes.

Mr. Daniels (Secretary to the Navy), giving evidence before the Naval Investigation of the Committee, said that the United They are 16,000 below little use for military pu gation Committee, said that the Unit States ought to have a naval division

MOTION REJECTED. WASHINGTON, Dec. 12. into the preparedness of the United State

All the Democrats voted again

AMERICA AS ARBITRATOR.

NOT DESIRED BY GERMANY. AMSTERDAM, Dec. 18.

many does not inspire the peace moveme in the United States.

American bankers with German name ch as Schiff and Spayer, in strongly urging the desirableness of peace, render doubtful service to Germany, as their lan-

riendlinese in some quarters of America the paper adds, it would be an "ostrich" policy not to recognise that public opinion on the whole is entirely towards Britain. It might be argued that Washington had observed the strictest neutrality, but one

Concluding, the newspaper adds:—"We cherish no irritation against the United States because she is friendly to Britain.

This is natural, because Britain is the United States' motheriand; but for that reason we fear prejudice, and must in a rightrate."

LONDON, Dec. 12.

The Commonwealth Oil Corporation now proposes to create £200,000 worth of six cherish no irritation.

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THE MAN IN THE BOX. DISCOVERY AT GRAVESENT

LONDON, Dec. 12.

The Customs officials at Gravesend sels-ed a huge box on a liner bound for Rotter-wa When it was opened a German officer stepped out. The box contained a bed, rood, and other comforts. It is believed that the officer escaped

GERMAN AMBITIONS. "FAREWELL TO BRITAIN'S GREATNESS."

MR. BALFOUR'S INDICTMENT. LONDON, Dec. 12. Mr. Baifour, speaking at Bristol, said that the war was a crime against civilisation. It was also the crime of a nation

Mr. Baifour, speaking at Bristol, said that the war was a crime against civilisation. Stanley Wootton, the Australian Jockey, has been given a commission in the service battalion of the Royal Fusillers.

Mr. Ramany MacDonald, M.P., the wall DELHI, Dec. 11.

For some years it has been the practice of the Government to reward deserving dominate and coerce the whole world."

The "Echo de Paris" says that the Crown Prince was burriedly summoned to the Goreann Emperor's bedside on Tuesday.

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also an Oriennist, but above all I am a Belgian." CLOTHING FOR BELGIANS

IMPORTANT APPOINTMENT. LONDON, Dec. 12. Lieut, Colonel Cyril St. Clair Cameror

of Tasmania, has been promoted to the rank of colonel in the Imperial army, and

LATE WAR NEWS.

BRITISH ADVANCING.

GERMAN POSITIONS IMPERILLED.

AMSTERDAM, Dec. 18.

The British are reported to be gaining ground to the northwards of Passchendaele, and are imperilling the German positions

treated inland from Ertveide, and many WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.

Brigadier-General Mills, in his annual report on the United States army, says that the militia forces largely exist on paper.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.

German troops, numerous cannon, machine guns, and motor cars from the Bruges distrist have traversed Seizaete towards Autiverp.

FRENCH SUCCESS.

PARIS, Dec. 12.

Pacific waters, and necessary coast defence, since the opening of the Panama Canal made it possible to transfer a division of warships permanently.

After eight hours desperate hand-to-hand fighting the French occupied Moas and Biesel, in Upper Alsace. The French losses were 215 killed; and the Germans lost 720. The French, using their bay-PARIS, Dec. 12. ets captured all the strategical positions

SUBMARINE FOILED.

STEAMER'S LUCKY ESCAPE.

TRADE AND COMMERCE.

ATHENS, Dec. 12. Turkey has forbidden the experi nd grapes from Smyrna.

LONDON Dec 12

REOPENED FOR BUSINESS. NEW YORK, Dec. 12.

700 brokers. The business MERCHANT SHIPPING.

nouth with R.M.S. Khyber's mails.
The barque Penrhyn Castle, which left

MISCELLANEOUS. LONDON, Dec. 12. The Ravensbourne clubhouse at Lee, near London, has been converted into a convalescent home for New Zealanders. Stanley Wootton, the Australian jockey,

APPRAL FOR ASSISTANCE. has, in the case of the latest colony, decided to increase the allotment of 103,000 affairs in our own way.

"We then would have German culture affairs in our own way.

"We then would have German culture rammed down our throats by German bayonets."

These grants will be made at the close of the year, and in addition to that part of 103,000 acres which will be given as rewards for service in the present war an additional area of 75,000 acres will be specially reserved for this purpose, and distributed as grants to Indians who distributed as grants to Indians who distributed as grants to Indians who distinguish themselves in the present campaign, or their heirs.

This liberal policy will meet with the widest approval in the Punjab, which is referred to in the French Yellow army.

UNITED STATES.

THE DEFENCE QUESTION.

The "Daily Mail's" diplomatic corresponsions the review with King Albert of Beigium, which is referred to in the French Yellow Book, published at the end of last month, says that the Emperor in closing the interview want a Government guarantee or assistance to the banks, and residuate, and the says that the Emperor in closing the interview want a Government guarantee or assistance to the banks, which would then be warbuilting to advance £12 per ton on the warbuilting to advance £13 per ton on the wa

LEAD SHIPMENTS.

MELBOURNE, Saturday

IN THE COUNTRY.

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IN UPPER ALSACE.

on the Thaon and Belfort-road neavy shell-fire, inflicting serious case

LONDON, Dec. 18. A German submarine, 30 miles from the Dutch coast, challenged the steamer Col-hester, bound from the Hook of Holland to Harwich. The British vessel was oro Harwich. The British vessel was or-ered to stop and surrender, but the Col-hester raced forward, and, steering a mig-

TURKISH EXPORTS.

LLOYD'S RATES REDUCED.

COMMONWEALTH OIL COMPANY

The Stock Exchange has reopened, after being closed for four and a half months. One hundred and ninety-two approved stocks were traded, and prices showed an unward tendency. The resumption of business was cheered

LONDON, Dec. 11. The R.M.S. Egypt has arrived at Ply-

OFFICERS OF TRANSPORTS. In the House of Representation CILOTHING FOR BELIGIANS

In the House of Representatives, Mr. Findings (Q.) asked the Assistant Minister of Defence who had Selected the officers of the transports. Had advertisement been inserted in the papers notifying all eligible officers the positions were vacant?

Mr. Jensen replied that the matter had been entrusted to Capitain Tickell, who made the appointment of all officers on transports. The portion given to the American Relief Commission has been despatched to Bellegian refugees and the Espatched to Bellegian refugees and the Bellegian refuge

with special duties.

GOONDIWINDI, Saturday, With special duties, the last election Coionel Cameron was a member of the Senate, representing Tammania in the Liberal interests. He was educated in Launceston and Edinburgh, and afterwards served in the Queen's Royal Lancers, and took part in the famous march from Kabul to Kandhar. He commanded the lat Tammanian Mounted Infantry in South Africa, and also commanded the Australian Commonwealth Corpa at the Coronation features of the Royal Cambon Washer Commonwealth Corpa at the Coronation features of the Royal Commonwealth Corpa at the Coronation features of the Royal Corps and also commanded the Australian Commonwealth Corpa at the Coronation features of the Royal Corps and State Corps and State Corps and Corps

IN THE EAST.

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WAR NOTES.

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OUR TROOPS.

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ATTACK ON REV. MR. COX.

PHOTOGRAPHER INJURED.

PRESENTATION OF COLOURS.

ARMY DOCTORS.

DISTRIBUTION TO UNITS.

BASE METALS. PATRIOTIC FUNDS.

LORD MAYOR'S LIST.

BELGIAN FUND.

FIELD HOSPITAL FUND.

THE NEXT ALLY. CHINA AND THE WAR

SMELTING INDUSTRY.

GERMAN CONTRACTS.

The "Financial News," commenting or

NORTH BROKEN HILL COMPANY.

OFFICIAL STATEMENT.

PERSONAL.

Mr. Henry Stokes Richards, of Canterbury College, has been elected the New Zesland REMOVAL OF DUTY

HEAT WAVE. SYDNEY REGISTERS 101.4

ARMED ROBBERS.

A CLERGYMAN ASSAULTED.

WHEAT.

MEGRO BURNED TO DEATE

der of the postmaster, another neg-lynched here. The meb bound tree with coils of wire, and then to death.

There have been eight lynchings here during the nest

ASSOCIATION FOOTBALL

INTERS

APPOINTED TO THI: VATICAN.

Sir Heary Howard has been in the diplomatic service since 1885, and has served in the United States, the Netherland, Quate-nais, Greece, Denmark, China, Russis, and

MEXICO AND UNITED STATES.

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INTERSTATE EXCHANGES.

FINANCIAL. BANKS' AGREEMENT WITH THE

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LONDON FINANCIAL CABLES

MELBOURNE ELECTRIC SUPPLY COMPANY.

WAR PROBLEMS.

COMMERCIAL.

CLAIM FOR SHORT SHIPMENTS.

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the rat period of £16.835. In the period of £16.835. In the

272/17/6 a ton, equal to 1/10.05 a gallon a fail of 2/4 a ton and 0.124 a gallon. American middling cotton, May-June ship-ments, is worth 4.04d per lb (484 lower on the week). THE WOOL SALES.

At to-day's wool sales 37,000 bales were realingued and 27,050 bales were sold combing merines were firm at opening room, but faults sorts were irregular. Crossbreds were tachanged.

The following prices were realised.—Moorrors, bighest /81, average /8; Casonbar. 100.

4.945 — 10,750 5.819 Two weeks ended Dec. 11 0,040 45,689 28,071

per ton (12/6 up).

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MINING. AN EASIER MARKET.

STOCK EXCHANGE SALES. COPPER. Junction North, a B.H. North, 38/3. GOLD.

GULD. Hawkin's Hill, 4/8. Great Southern Consols, 11/45, 11/45, 11/. MINING NOTES.

MELBOURNE, Saturday.

VICTORIAN YIELDS.

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C COMPETITION.

MARRICKVILLE CLUB.

SWIMMING.

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1. Sports, 10a, 2; R. Heilings, 15a, 3. Time, 5a.

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EASTERN SUBURBS CLUB.

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PENNANT B AND C COMPETITIONS.

PENNANT.

The Department of Public Instruction is now enrolling boys is the Employment Bureau. Mr. Carmichael on Saturday experience of the Employment of Processed Pleasure at the encouragement given by the employers to the bureau, which had an by already succeeded in placing a number of boys helding continuation school and Superior Public school certificates.

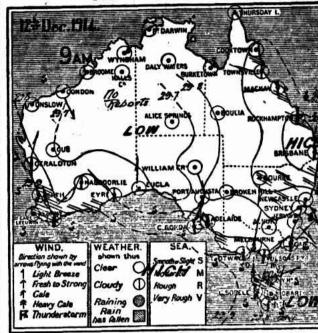
TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir.—It is time that the question of the treatment of our cattle was thoroughly investigated, and something done to alleviate their miseries. Last Sunday a fair herd of cattle was pinced in a paddock close to Parramattaroad, Five Dock, and, as everyone was aware, the days on the property of the complex of

LEICHHARDT CLUB.
Entries for the Leichhardt Club's one-mile handicap
o be held at the union's club carnival, close to-day. BOYS' EMPLOYMENT BUREAU.

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THE MAILS.

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Quercaland —Overland, 8.30 p.m.
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calised £129. WINGHAM, Sunday, At a meeting of the Freebytery of the Hastons, the Rev. James Goodie, of Burrowa, terk of the Presbytery of Young, was receited as the presbytery's choice as Noderaor of the General Assembly next year.

ection was made for the Belgian Relief

1. 27 being subscribed.

GOONDIWINDI, Sunday.

the annual distribution of prizes at
adiwindi State school Roberts Dougherty
awarded Mearrs. Bream Breas' prize for
highest percentage in examination with
acr cent.

RIFLE SHOOTING.

GRADE MATCHES SANCTIONED. BAD DAY AT RANDWICK.

THE J. E. HERMANN CASE. FURTHER POSTPONEMENT.

The hearing of the application in Chambers before Mr. Justice Ferguson for a further postponement of the trial of Joseph Earle Hermann, who is under committal on a charge of forgery and uttering, was continued on Saturday. Mr. Wise, K.C., and Mr. Perry, instructed by Messre, H. Richardson Clark and Fitzgerald, appeared in support of the application, and Mr. Witred Blacket, K.C., instructed by the Crown Solicitor (Mr. J. V. Tillett), for the Crown to oppose, A further amidavit had been filed in support of the application, and Mr. Wise asked whether his Honor wished for any further information on the question of edileptic Insanity. His Honor said he did not, and, in delivering judgment on the application, and he

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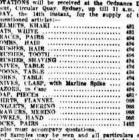
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